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LETTER DATED 23 JUNE 1998 FROM THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

I wish to refer to Security Council resolution 1012 (1995) of 28 August 1995, by which the Council requested the Secretary-General to establish an international commission of inquiry into the assassination of the President of Burundi on 21 October 1993, as well as to establish a trust fund to receive voluntary contributions, as a supplement to help finance the work of the commission.

The International Commission of Inquiry in Burundi was set up in October 1995, and its final report was submitted to the Security Council on 22 August 1996. All activities of the Commission ceased soon thereafter.

I wish to inform you that the Financial Rules and Regulations of the United Nations require that the legislative authority establishing a trust fund should formally decide to close it. The assets of the trust fund would be disposed of in accordance with the same Financial Rules and Regulations and in a manner consistent with the terms of reference of the fund. I should be grateful to receive the Council's decision on the matter.

(Signed) Kofi A. ANNAN

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